**Calling in the Directions and Closing the Circle**

*(Used with 2018 Vernal Equinox)*

East- We join with the earth and with each other.

 To bring new life to the land, to restore the waters, to refresh the air

 South- We join with the earth and each other.

 To renew the forests, to care for the plants, to protect the creatures

 West- We join with the earth and with each other.

 To celebrate the seas, to rejoice in the sunlight, to sing the song of the stars

 North- We join with the earth and with each other.

 To re-create the human community, to promote justice & peace, to cherish our children.

SKY-We join with the earth and with each other.

 We join together as many and diverse expressions of one loving mystery.

 For the healing of the earth, and the renewal of all life- Blessed Be!

**Closing the Circle:** Same as opening directions, but alter

 “We join with the earth to **We LEAVE with the earth.”**